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*Previous References*

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# General and Revenue Secretariat.

*Serial Nos.*

**Part B for** 1926

**SUBJECT**

Facilities to be afforded in connection with the levy of octroi duty by the Kolar Town Municipal Council by the M. S. M. Railway Authorities

~~File~~ ordered to be filed

General and Revenue Secretariat

Jud File No. 130 of 1925.

Serial No.

Letter No 6441 of 7/1/26 from the D.C. Kolar requesting that the Rly Admn Rly authorities may be addressed to afford facilities similar to those given by the Municipal Rly Pts in connection with the levy of octroi duty by the Municipal Cl..

1 Subs. The Mr. Asst Conservator complains that much of the octroi Revenue is being lost to the Municipality on account of the evasion of certain merchants from the payment of octroi on dutiable articles imported from outside by Railways.

2 In Ex. No. L 710-22 of 24.7.22 Govt have ordered that the Municipalities concerned may be allowed to depute clerks to work at Stations along with the Railway Rly Staff who will deliver the Consignments as soon as the octroi clerks have collected the necessary duties & that the Rly Depts do not object to the Municipal Offrs looking up the records on the non working days.

3 The Rly Supdt has in his Offl Note in Jud 186-21. referred to a practice prevailing on the Arsikere-Birur Rly Where the octroi work is done by the Rly and the Municipality pays the salary of a Separate goods clerk for the purpose & Supdt justifies the appointment of a Separate clerk as the work is done by a member of the Rly Staff on pay

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of a reasonable allowance.

It is for orders therefore whether the Md. Cl. Gentlemen may be asked if they are prepared to adopt the procedure referred to above in which case a reference can be made to the H.S.H. authorities

The political Section may be consulted if there has been any precedent and if steps will be taken there for arranging with the H.S.H. by similar procedure with Khyber Railways.

Please bring it up

To Pols with draft to Residency.

Sent with draft to Residency.

Please bring up before

Prepared draft letter

Remarks of Smuggling Prohibition Enquiry Committee published in Times of India Newspaper

Note—Contn. Sheet

Serial No. 2

Pol 918. dt 31/3/26

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore Bangalore

Requests to move the Hon. the Resident to address the M & S.M Railway authorities to afford in regard to dutiable articles imported into Municipalities through their Railways the same facilities as are afforded by the State Railways under G.O. [illegible]

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3. No 3833 dt 29.4.26 from the Ja. Resident states that the Agent is not in favour of giving effect to the proposals referred to in 2 and suggests that the Mil authorities may erect octroi offices at which to collect octroi duty just outside the Railway premises.

Subd If the octroi offs are vigilant & the octroi office is located quite close to the Rly Station it may perhaps be possible to 2 devise loss of octroi Revenue. May the D.C. be consulted as to whether the course suggested will not suffice?

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| 4 | D.C. Kolar L 7241 of 29.5.26. - States that if the Octroi officers are vigilant & the octroi office is located close the R.R. Station the many [illegible] evasion of octroi duty |
| 6 | No Gl 4906-26 of 30/11/26 from the D.C. Kolar forwards copy of a report received in the matter from the Asst Commissioner Municipality stating that nothing more need be done in the matter at present & that a fresh report will be submitted if in the light of the vigilance of the Octroi staff smuggling of dutiable goods takes place. Asst Commr may be asked that he has called for information about the steps taken to prevent the smuggling of goods & pronounce last a further report which may if app. be awaited. 9/12/26 16/12 |
| | 11/27 |
| 7 | G 13625-26/27 of 7.2.27. from the D.C. Kolar Reports that the Council have resolved that a octroi building should be constructed near the R.R. Station at Gowribidanur & that a Lk [illegible] |

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is appointed to keep watch over the Commodities passing into the town thro' the Port Station - Subd. 19) Under the circumstances no further action appears necessary & if agreed the file can now be closed -

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KOLAR DISTRICT.

*Dated Kolar, the* 2nd Jan. *1926.*

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FROM

S. HIRIANNAIYA, ESQ., M.A., B.L.,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, KOLAR DISTRICT.

V. BHATT
6 JAN. 1926

To

Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
*Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
Local & Legislative *Departments,*
*BANGALORE.*

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I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of the Coriibin Municipal President's No:Ml.34/25-26 dated 22-12-25 for information. It will be seen from the President's report that on account of the evasion of certain merchants fro the payment of Octroi on dutiabl articles imported from outside by Railways much of the revenue realis - ble therefrom is lost to the Municipality. The resources of the Council are poor and they have been earnestly endeavouring to improve their income. They feel handicapped for want of co-operation on the part of the Railway officials to watch the imports closely and recover Octroi on articles imported into the town for consumption. While Government have in their Order No:L.710-22/Ml.186-21-2 dated 24-7-22 ordered that officials of the Mysore Railways should give assistance tothe officials of the Municipal Council, in connection with the recovery of Octroi duty on goods imported by Railway, there appears to be no ruling under which the officials of other Railways are bound to render similar assistance. This appears to be thereason for the Traffic Superintenient having declined to enter into any arrangement with the Municipal Council. It may be added that unless the co-operation of the Railway officials is enlisted there appears to be no way out of the difficulty. I request therefore that you will be so good as to address the M.S.M. Railway Authorities to afford facilities similar to those given by th Mysore Railways in connection with the levy of Octroi duty by the Munic pal Council.

I have the honor to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,
C Ramachandra Rao
District Treasury Officer,
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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Letter No:Ml.54/25-26 dated 29-9-25 from the President, Municipal Council, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

I beg to state that it having come to my notice that some local merchants who get octroi dutiable articles by railway evade payment, I addressed the District Traffic Superintendent, M.S.M. Railway, Bangalore, to instruct the Station master of Goribidnur to adopt the procedure followed in the Mysore State Railways as per G.O. No:L.710-22/Ml.186-21-2 dated 24-7-22,and to give all reasonable facilities to the Sanitary Maistry of this Municipality to collect Octroi within the Railway premises. The Superintendent has replied that it is not possible for him to comply with the request. So I beg to request that the Traffic Manager, M.S.M. Railway may kindly be addressed in the matter and some convenient arrangement made so that the finances of the Municipality may not be affected.

"Copy"

C Ramachandra Rao

For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

Pol. 918

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Subject:- Arrangements forthe prevention of smuggling of dutiable articles imported into Municipalities through Railways.

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To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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S i r,

I am directed to state that the - - - President of the Municipal Council, Goribidnur, Kolar District has brought to the notice of Government, that the Octroi revenue of the Municipality has suffered on account of the attempt on the part of certain merchants to avoid payment of Octroi on dutiable articles imported into the Municipality from outside through railways and want of co-operation on the part of the Railway Officials of the -- Goribidnur Railway Station in regard to the recovery of Octroi on such articles by the local Octroi staff. ~~This~~ With a view to prevent the smuggling of such dutiable articles imported into Municipalities through the State Railways, the Government have in their Order No.L.710-22/Ml.186-21-2 dated 24th July 1922 (a copy ~~of~~ which enclosed for ready reference) ordered that the Municipal ~~may~~ Councils may depute clerks to work at Stations along with the Railway staff, so that they may collect the Octroi ~~x~~ due before the railway staff can deliver the consignments to the parties concerned. The Municipal Officials are also allowed to look into records on other than working days to satisfy themselves whether duty has been - osed on such lgs.

Ref. 3

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It is reported that the District - - - Traffic Superintendent, M.&.S.M. Railway, Bangalore, who was addressed to instruct -- the Station Master, Goribidanur Railway -- Station to adopt the above procedure and to give all reasonable facilities to the Octroi collecting officials of the Municipality to collect Octroi within the Railway premises, has declined to enter into such an arrangement, as no such rule obtains in that - - - Railway.

I am therefore desired to request you to move the Hon'ble the Resident to address the M.&.S.M. Railway authorities to afford, in regard to dutiable articles imported -- into Municipalities in the State through their railways, the same facilities as are afforded by the State Railways under the -- Government Order of the 24th July 1922 --- referred to above.

I have etc.,

Secy to Govt.
L.&.L. Deptts.

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OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, 29 April 1926.

No. 2833 Encls. 1

V. ABBOTT.

29. APR. 1926

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A copy of the marginally noted letter, with enclosure, is forwarded with compliments, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Local & Legislative Departments for information with reference to his letter No.Pol 918/Ml.130-25, dated the 31st March 1926.

*No.T.2160 dated the 23rd 1926 from the Agent, Madras uthern Mahratta Railway Co., Madras.

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for Secretary to the Resident.

P. O. 758. R. O. 25.—2,000.—2-10-1925.—R. P. E.

Letter No. T.2160, dated the 23rd April 1926, from the Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Co., Ltd., Madras to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Arrangements for the prevention of smuggling of - - dutiable articles imported into Municipalities through Railways.

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With reference to your letter No.3290/84/1926, dated the 13th April 1926, forwarding for my views copy of a letter No.Pol. 918/Ml.130-25-2, dated the 31st March 1926, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Local and Legislative Departments, I have the honour to refer you to this office letter No.T.2160 dated the 13th/14th March 1923, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore for Railways, a copy of which is herewith enclosed for easy reference. The fact that it is possible for the Municipal Authorities to erect Octroi offices at which to collect Octroi Duty outside Railway premises, appears to have been lost sight of by the Mysore Government.

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Copy of letter No.T.2160, dated the 13th/14th March 1923, from the Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Co., Ltd., Madras, to the Secretary to the Government of Mysore for Railways, Mysore, through the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Prevention of smuggling of dutiable articles into Municipalities through the Mysore State Railway.

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With reference to your letter No.1849, dated the 5th February 1923, I have the honour to ~~xxxxx~~ inform you that the matter has received my careful consideration and I regret that I am unable to reconsider my decision.

At Belgaum and Poona, to quote only two instances, the Municipality have long established Octroi Offices immediately outside the Railway gates, and these offices deal with all goods received by rail and imported into the area controlled by the Municipality. I would suggest that a similar arrangement might be made at Birur.

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" C O P "

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SUBJECT

Diary No. of letter replied to 618

General and Revenue Secretariat
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Date of issue 9-5-26

Signed by for F.C.S.

List of enclosures

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Section 2nd
File No. 130-25
Serial No. 45
No. L 12241.

To The D.C. Kolar

Sir,

With reference to your letter No O.C. 44/18 2.1.26 in regard to the prevention of smuggling of taxable articles into ~~municipalities~~ the Goribidnur municipality I am directed to state that if the octroi officials are vigilant & the octroi office is located quite close to the Railway Station it may perhaps be possible to minimise loss of octroi Revenue. I am to enquire

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Whether the Commissioners
will not suffice

Thanks

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KOLAR DISTRICT.

*Dated Kolar, the*.... 30th November ....1926

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From

S. HIRIANNAIYA, Esq., M.A., B.L.,
*Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.*

To

REV. SECTT. BR. L DEC. 1926 SECTION

S. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
*Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
Local & Legislative *Departments, Bangalore.*

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.7841 dated 29th May 1926, regarding the smuggling of dutiable articles imported into the Goribidnur Municipality, I have the honor to forward herewith, copy of report No:Ml.79 dated 12th September 1926, from the President, Goribidnur Municipality, and to state that the report does not furnish information about the steps which have to be taken to prevent smuggling and the President has been asked to submit a detailed report.

2. A further report will be made as soon as his report is received.

I have the honor to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

Treasury Assistant Commissioner,
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

R.S.

Ref:- Deputy Commissioner's No:O.C.44/25-26 dated 22/25-6-1926 re: prevention of smggling of dutiable articles in to the Goribidnur Municipality.

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Submitted:

The advice of Government in the matter bs being acted up to. If inspite of the vigilance of the Municipal officials, there is still smuggling a fresh report on the measures that will be found necessary will be submitted. Nothing more need be done in the matter for the present.

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"Copy"

For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

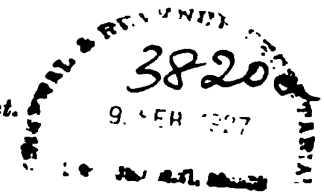
V.V.R.
301126.

In all future correspondence please quote this number.
G.15625-26827 Encls.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KOLAR DISTRICT,

*Dated Kolar, the* 7th February *1927*

FROM A. K. Syed Taj Peeran, Esq., B.A.,
*Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.*




To,

B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
*Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
Local & Legislative *Department, Bangalore.*

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No:G.4906-26-7 dated 30th November 1926, regarding the illicit import of dutiable articles into the Goribidnur Town from the Railway Station, I have the honor to forward herewith the correspondence ending with Goribidnur President's report No:Ref.240/26-27 dated 24th December 1926, enclosing an extract from the resolution of the Municipal Council passed in a meeting held on 22-12-26 for information of Government.

2. The Council have resolved that an Ookad building should be constructed near the Railway Station at Goribidnur and a watchman appointed for keeping watch over the commodities passing into the town through the Railway Station.

I have the honor to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

Treasury Assistant Commissioner,
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.
(absent from station).

V.V.R.
7226.

Office of the Executive Engineer
Municipal Council
Dated: 11/12/2020

To,
The Assistant Engineer
Municipal Council

Sub: Work order for construction of road

Please find enclosed herewith the work order for the construction of road in Ward No. 12. You are requested to start the work immediately and complete it within 30 days from the date of this order.

The estimated cost of the work is Rs. 2,50,000/-. The work should be done as per the specifications mentioned in the estimate.

Executive Engineer

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Municipality through the Railway station [illegible]

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In all future correspondence please quote this number
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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
KOLAR DISTRICT, 20

*Dated Kolar, the*.....30th.....ovember....1926

FROM

S. HIRIANNAIYA, Esq., M.A., B.L.,
*Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.*

To

B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
*Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
Local & Legislative *Department, Bangalore.*

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.7841 dated 29th May 1926, regarding the smuggling of dutiable articles imported into the Goribidnur Municipality, I have the honor to forward herewith, copy of report No:Ml.79 dated 12th September 1926 from the President, Goribidnur Municipality and to state that the report does not furnish information about the steps which have to be taken to prevent smuggling and the President has been asked to submit a detailed report.

2. A further report will be made as soon as his report is received.

I have the honor to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,
MIR SAFDAR HUSSAIN,
Treasury Assistant Commissioner,
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

V.V.R.S.
501126. Gl.4906/26-27.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the President, Goribidnur Municipality, for immediate report suggesting the ways and means to prevent smuggling. The matter is very urgent.

Rd 3.12.26

7.12/26-27

For Deputy Commissioner.
Kolar District.

V.V.R.
501126.

Copy of letter No.L. 7241/XI. 130-25-4 dated 29-5-1926 from the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, - Local and Legislative Departments, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar - District.

With reference to your letter No.O.C. 441, dated the 2nd January 1926, in regard to the prevention of smuggling of dutiable articles into the Goribidnur Municipality, I am directed to state that if the octroi officials are vigilant, and the octroi office is located quite close to the Railway Station, it may perhaps be possible to minimise loss of - octroi revenue. I am to enquire whether the course suggested will be suffice.

O.C. No. 441/25-26 Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
Dated, Kolar, the 22nd June 1926.

M E M O.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the President, Goribidnur - - Municipality for information and report at an early date.

For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

A.R.
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Ref 79
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Ref: Deputy Comm's no 0 c 44/25-26 dated
- 6 26, re prevention of smuggling
of Indian articles into the Cantonment
Municipality.

Noted

The advice of Govt in the matter
is being acted upto. Inspite of the
vigilance of the Pol. officials, there is still
smuggling, a fresh report on the measures
that will be found necessary will be submitted
Nothing more can be done in the matter for

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

No. C 1067, dated the 12/8/ 1926.

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To

The Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

SUBJECT. The prevention of smuggling of Cocaine &c imported into Mysore from Railways.

I am directed to invite attention to the marginally noted communication and to request that the Government of His Highness the Maharaja may be informed, in the column opposite, of the cause of delay in furnishing a reply and of the approximate date on which reply may be expected.

No. C 7241, dated 29 July

I am also to request that the reply to this reminder may be sent not later than the 2nd August 1926

I have, etc.,

for L. L. Secy to Govt

Previous reminders

1592 & 26/7/26

REPLY.

No. dated the 192

To

The
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore

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Ex 307/26 27.

Forwarded to the President.
Prohibition Municipality for
immediate report. Request
reminders on being received
in this office.

[signature]

Kolar
18/8/26.

For Deputy Commissioner
Kolar

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

No. 1592 dated the 26/7/1926

REPLY.

No . dated the 192

To

The Deputy Commissioner
Kolar Dist.

To

The
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore

SUBJECT.

Re: the prevention of Smuggling of dutiable articles imported into the ~~Kolar~~ Bowribidanur Municipality

SIR,

I am directed to invite attention to the marginally noted communication and to request that the Government of His Highness the Maharaja may be informed, in the column opposite, of the cause of delay in furnishing a reply and the approximate date on which reply may be expected.

I am also to request that the reply to this reminder may be sent not later than the 5th instant 926

I have, etc.,

for L. Lisle Lloyd

Previous reminders

WE 1888 - GPB - 1000 - 18 7-21

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER 1796 JUL 27 1926 KOLAR

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Memo forwarded to the President, Bowribidanur Municipality for immediate report

24.7.26